

REMARKS

Claims 1-5 and 7-12 are pending in this application. Claim 22 was previously canceled and claims 6, 13-21, and 23-26 are canceled herein. Claims 1-5 and 7-12 have been allowed.

In view of the above, Applicant respectfully submits that the application is in condition for allowance and requests that the Examiner pass the case to issuance. If the Examiner should have any questions, Applicant requests that the Examiner contact Applicant's attorney at 972-732-1001 so that such issues may be resolved as expeditiously as possible. No fee is believed due in connection with this filing. However, should one be deemed due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the appropriate fees to Deposit Account No. 50-1065.

Respectfully submitted,

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